

REMARKS

By way of this amendment, claims 4 and 6 are amended, claims 7-33 are canceled, and new claims 34-40 are submitted. As a result, claims 1-6 and 34-40 are pending in this application.

Amendments to the Specification

Applicant has made several amendments to the specification by substituting “embodiments of the invention” or “inventive subject matter” for “invention” or “present invention”; by deleting certain instances of “invention”; by amending certain sub-titles; and by deleting the sub-title “Conclusion”.

Also, in the paragraph beginning on page 2, line 29, the sentence “Such embodiments of the inventive subject matter may be referred to, individually and/or collectively, herein by the term “invention” merely for convenience and without intending to voluntarily limit the scope of this application to any single invention or inventive concept if more than one is in fact disclosed.” has been inserted.

No new matter has been introduced through these amendments to the specification.

Amendments to Claims 4 and 6

Claim 4 has been amended by inserting “(global position system)” after “GPS”, and by switching the dependency from claim 1 to claim 3.

Claim 6 has been amended by inserting “(Motion Picture Experts Group, Audio Layer 3)” after “MP3”; by substituting “compact disk” for “CD”; and by substituting “digital video disk” for “DVD”.

No new matter has been introduced.

The amendments to the claims are made to satisfy Applicant’s preferences, not necessarily to satisfy any legal requirement(s) of the patent laws, and they are not intended to limit the scope of equivalents to which any claim element may be entitled.

New Claims 34-40

New claims 34-40 have been added to provide Applicant with additional protection to which Applicant is entitled. New claims 34-40 are supported by the original disclosure. No new matter has been introduced.

New claims 34-40 are drawn to sound generation devices and therefore fall within elected Group I.

Conclusion

Consideration of claims 1-6 and 34-40 is respectfully requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney, Walter W. Nielsen (located in Phoenix, Arizona) at (602) 298-8920, or the below-signed attorney (located in Minneapolis, Minnesota) to facilitate prosecution of this application.

Kindly cancel claims 7-33 prior to calculation of any additional fee. If necessary, please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0743.

Respectfully submitted,

STEVEN B. McGOWAN

By his Representatives,

SCHWEGMAN, LUNDBERG, WOESSNER & KLUTH, P.A.
Attorneys for Intel Corporation
P.O. Box 2938
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402
(612) 349-9592

Date July 28, 2004 By Ann M. McCrackin
Ann M McCrackin
Reg. No. 42,858

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this 28 day of July, 2004.

KACIA LEE
Name

Kacia Lee
Signature